



IN THE
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Charles J. Burnett
Appl. No.: 09/556,503
Filing Date: 4/24/00
Title: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR THE AUTOMATED TESTING OF
THE QUALITY OF VOICE COMMUNICATIONS OVER DATA
NETWORKS

Group/A.U.: 2643
Examiner: Barry W. Taylor

Docket No.: 10991754-1

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Honorable Commissioner for Patents
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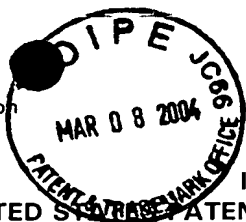
Sir:

The remarks herein are responsive in a timely manner to the office action dated January 21, 2004, having a period of response set to expire on April 21, 2004.

A listing of the claims, including any current amendments, begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

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- (X) Response/Amendment () Petition to extend time to respond
() New fee as calculated below () Supplemental Declaration
(X) No additional fee (Address envelope to "Mail stop Non-Fee Amendments")
() Other: _____ (fee \$ _____)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED BY OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY						
(1) FOR	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS	18	MINUS	20	= 0	X \$18	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS	2	MINUS	3	= 0	X \$86	\$ 0
[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$290	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH \$110.00	2ND MONTH \$420.00	3RD MONTH \$950.00	4TH MONTH \$1480.00		\$ 0
OTHER FEES						\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 0

Charge \$ 0 to Deposit Account 50-1078. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1078 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 50-1078 under 37 CFR 1.16, 1.17, 1.19, 1.20 and 1.21. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Date of Deposit: 03/04/2004

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Respectfully submitted,

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